By the old system of chronology in

year. This augers well for a large crop

THERE are fifty-two canals in the

4,468 miles. China alone excels this

country in its canal mileage.

was unearthed in his dooryard.

for the use of money.

tain money lender of that city has been

in the habit of charging 1,200 per cent.

THE cylinder head of a Connecticut

carried it to the station, five miles

FINE white merble in a compact

to be equal to the best Italian marble.

suffer from various maladies caused by

nown as "Ik Marvel," is 72 years of

Fine carriages with rubber tires are

said to be coming into use in the city

of New York. These tires cost about one hundred dollars for a set of four, and rarely last more than one season,

but they are a comfort to those who

an afford them, making the motion of

RECENTLY a workman in Pittsburgh

found a pine knot which contained the

ortrait of a woman. This was no ague semblance, but a woman dressed

in the style of the day. She sat, one hand at her side; her head, draped in

ce, rested on the other. But the

thing particularly noticeable was her

huge paffed sieeves and siender waist.

Armostr and his party of tourists re-turned to Chicago the other day, hav-

ing been absent thirty days and trav-

mile: Fifty years ago such a journey

would have been regarded as an Arabian Nights' tale. Yet this is noth-

ong lady participants in it produce

MAINE used to boast of its hard name

of rivers, lakes and towns, but Alaska's

simplest names are longer and harder than most of those for which Maine is

famous. A few of the longest and

hardest of Alaskan names of villages

are these: Abgomekhelanaghamute

mute, Kahlukhtughamute, Kennachan-

aghamute, Kyktoltowtin, Quiechoga-

nute, Tecuahotozna and Akgulurigig-

not less than 400,000,000 of human

ime of the beginning of the art of em-

balming until its discontinuance in the seventh century. Herodotus and Dio-

dorus both agree in the statement that

there were three grades in the embalm-

ing process, the first costing not less

about one-fifth that amount, and the

third cheaper than common earth

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ontinues to furnish interesting epi-

odes in the successive stages of its

armor trials exciting general interest; now comes the test of our first 15-inch

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ington. This is one of the twelve guns ordered for the battleships Indana,

Massachusetts and Oregon, and beyond

these no guns of so great caliber wil

grappled, as did the wooden ships of

our grandfathers, this gun could put its shot through a 25-inch steel coat on

Or all the exhibits at the California

Midwinter fair probably the most in-

teresting to easter; people is the old mining cabin occupied by John W.

Mackay when his circumstances were

such as hardly a day laborer would

envy. But the rude comfort and hos-

pitality of the cabin had a genuineness

about them that his daughter does not

seem to have found in the palaces of an

Italian prince. Another interesting

cabin in this same exhibit is that occur

pied nearly half a century ago by Sen-

THE water of Niagara falls is to drive

anal boats between Buffalo and Al-

bany. At first sight this seems quite a

trick, but when you get the connecting

the mighty dynamos of this new con-

boats are to get the power that is to re-tire the mule as a hallowed and pic-

turesque memory. Speaking of monop

olics, as one does sometimes, that power company has a fifty-year cinch.

A woman known as "Mother Mandel-

baum," a notorious shoplifter who long

ronto. Why should she be called

operated in New York, died recently in

"Mether?" The name is a sacred one.

and should not be desecrated by being given to a notorious thief.

homes with their own hands

its adversary.

be built. If ironclads

mies were made in Egypt from the

hotographs of themselves

receives the prize.

d 7,300 miles, an average daily of 265

age and his white hair is like a crown. He has a horror of publicity either in

the absorption of the poison.

away, without a pound of steam.

notive blew out while going at

as the year 7,910,343.

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About this time the cucumber is beginning to supplement the work of the Epitoline of the Week. INTERESTING NEWS COMPILATION.

FIFTY-THIRD CONGRESS

Monnet, March 19.-There was po bored a month earlier than result this senate, the entire day being con-year. This augers well for a large crop samed in the consideration of bills on the calendar, and most of these were measures of small importance. The house spent the day in discussing the sundry civil bill. The last paragraph was considered, but no defiuite action United States having a total length of was taken on any item.

TUESDAY, March 20.-Senator Voor A FRENCH priest stationed at Jerusa hees reported the tariff bill in the senate and gave notice that on April 2 he would ask the senate to take om has been the fortunate finder of "a talent of the time of King David." It it up for emaldefation. In the house the sundry civil appropriation bill (\$27,-687,930) was passed. The house then adjourned to the 22d. THE fact was brought out in a Philadelphia court the other day that a cer-

WEDNESDAY, March 21.-A Chinese treaty which provides for restricted immigration has been negotiated and was under consideration in the senate.

THURSDAY, March 22,- In the senate full speed, but the train's momentum tance were acted upon, Mr. Sherman introduced a resolution directing the ommittee on judiciary to investigate ered on the Rio Verde, sixty miles northeast of Pheenix, A.-T. . It is said States coins or of the coining of standard silver dollars. After a brief executive session the senate adjourned until the 26th. The house spent almost the entire day in filibustering over the ple engaged in cigarette and tobacco factories suffer from nicotine poison-ing. Their skin is yellow, and they O'Neill-Joy contested election case from the St. Louis district. The bill for the construction of a bridge across the Mo-

Funday March 23.—The senate was not in session. In the house a joint solution appropriating \$10,000 for the salaries and expenses of additional deputy collectors of internal revenue to carry out the provisions of the Chinese the newspaper or magazine, and clings tenaciously to his quiet life on a farm exclusion act was passed. The strug-gle over the O'Neill-Joy contested election case was resumed and occupied the remainder of the session

nongahela at Pittsburgh was passed

FROM WASHINGTON. year 1893 is the latest estimate of the he refused.

reau of the mint at Washington. PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has approved the bill granting a pension to Hannah breweries in St. Louis controlled by Lyons, 91 years of age, daughter of Englishmen. John Russell, the revolutionary soldier ton battle monument.

nual report for the calendar year 1893 same girl, fought a duel with daggers says the total number of applica-tions for patents received during the hurt. year was \$7,293. There were 23,670 pat-ents granted, including designs; 99 patents reissued and 1,677 trademarks \$20,000 by a new scheme. registered. The number of patents which expired was 14,172.

pedo boat, George C. Baker, died in Washington, aged 55 years. Is the United States in the seven days ended on the 23d there were 244 business failures, against 264 the week

previous and 190 in the corresponding ing compared to the possibilities of the future through the development of Secret service officials have discov-One is a two-dollar treasury note and find favor with hostesses. All the

A JURY in New York gave Esther babies, or, at any rate, when of very tender age. These are arranged for Jacobs \$50,000 damages in a breach of promise suit against Henry B. Sire. inspection, and the young men are The democratic state convention in Providence, R. I., nominated David S. usered in one by one to guess who are the originals. The one successful in Baker for governor. The platform com-mends the repeal of the Sherman coin-

> THE New Jersey supreme court broke the senatorial deadlock which has existed for eleven weeks by upholding the republican senate and all its acts and ruling that the democratic organization was unconstitutional.

> JOHN SHANDON fatally shot a man. killed a baby, fired into a posse and narrowly escaped lynching at Wilkes-

> THE death of Silas Gove, the selfstyled Immanuel, the prince of peace, occurred at Auburn, Me., at the age of Ar Saugus, Mass., H. A. Sutherland coughed up a bullet from his lungs. It

> had been lodged there since October 11, 1863, when he was shot in the neck at a battle during the war. A DISCREPANCE of \$1,500,000 was said have been discovered in the New

> York state comptroller's office.
>
> A COMMERCIAL agency at New York the country, but at prices lower than

> Six persons were instantly killed, four of them being women, by the ex-plosion of the Acme Powder company's vorks near Pittsburgh, Pa. WEST AND SOUTH.

ALLEN SELLS, one of the original

Sells Bros, of circus fame, died at his In Tennessee excessive rainfall caused much damage. Railroad bridges were washed away and houses wrecked. BURGLARS pried open the door of a bank vault at Centerville, In., and stole ,000 silver dollars

MATTHEW GRAHAM, John Schrem and Minnie Schilling were murdered in one day in St Louis by different per-

COLORED people in state convention at Birmingham, Ala., discussed the de pressed condition of their race, and it was the sense of the convention that Africa is the natural home of the negro and that they should go there and establish a great nation. They agreed, however, that as the white man had brought them to this country it was proper that he should pay their way back to Africa.

It is claimed by Dr. J. A. Houser, of Indianapolis, that he has arranged with ex-Queen Liliuokalani of Hawaii for a ecturing tour of the United States. Hurst, Lynch, O'Rourke, McQuaid, Stage and Smartwood bave een selected as umpires of the National Baseball league. LEIGHTON HENRY and Van Johnson

began a fight at Mason City, W. Va. which resulted in the wounding of twenty men. In Nebraska, Wyoming and South Dakota the worst snowstorm of the sea-

son prevailed, the snow at Deadwood being 4 feet deep on the level. The loss to cattlemen would be heavy. ise of H. W. Williams & Co. at Fort Worth, Tex., the loss being \$150,000.

First swept away the power house of the Missouri Railroad company at St. Louis, the loss being \$100,000. M. B. Curris will return to the stage. He denies having confessed to the mur-He denies having confessed to the mur-der of Officer Grant in San Francisco or

ABOUT one-third of the business por tion of Hueneme, Cal., was burned. WILLIAM CLEARY and James Conroy

shucking club, were killed by Aiber Tooker in a saloon row. Ay assignment was made at Ardmore by L. B. Robinson, the largest mer hant in the Indian territory.

MANY thousands of sheep were said to have perished in the blizzard in Wyoming. A herder was found frozen At Fayette, Mo., white caps terribly whipped a negro woman and ordered

THE Champa building was partially destroyed by fire at Denver, chtalling a total loss of \$300,000.

The superior court at Chicago has granted Patrick Eugene Frendergast, murderer of Mayor Carter H. Harrison, a fourteen days' lease of life to inquire as to his sani y or insanity.
At Des Moines, Ia., bimetallists in conference decided to support only free

coinage candidates for congress. THE senate of lows passed the mulci overnor's signature. Is a fit of anger Ambrose Hoffman stabbed his wife to death at Lima, O. MRS. HENRY HUGO shot and instantly killed Frank Watts, aged 15, for a criminal assault upon her daughter at Nor-

folk, Va. In the Cochiti gold mining district phenomenal strikes have set New Mexico wild, and the prospectors are pour ing into Cochiti from all directions. LOUIS BUTSCHER, of Parkersburg, W. Va. insane from exhaustion and grief. shot and killed himself at the bedside

of his dying mether. Money Point, Va., was almost wiped out by fire, only six houses being left. The loss was \$300,000. PROHIBITIONISTS and populists in Ohio

have combined to defeat candidates of both democratic and republican parties. A FEW months ago S. H. Gard disappeared from Elwood, Ind. His body has been found in the Arkansas river at AT San Francisco, Bank Cashler Her-

THE gold production throughout the rick, was killed by William Fredericks, an ex-convict, whose demand for money KNIGHTS OF LABOR are said to have

Ar Chicago Thomas Higgins whose statue stands on guard at Tren- hanged for the murder of Peter Me-Two Boys, aged 15, in love with the

> FORGERS have victimized various banks of St. Louis to the amount of The Iowa legislature has decided to adjourn April 6.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE. In a fight with Spaniards on the islandsof Pautor two hundred Malays

were killed. boat sprang a leak and sank and six THE queen and the prince of Wales ess Mand to Premier Rosebery.

THE members of the family of Louis Kossuth, the dead Hungarian patriot, decided to inter his remains in his na-AT Grenoble, France, twenty perons were injured, three of whom may

die, by the explosion of a bomb in the church of Gnillen. age act, the pending tariff legislation and the repeal of the federal election law.

It was announced that Hawaii was about to establish a republic, Minister the United States to assist in the un-

Rada-Pesth did not close out of respect or Kossuth they were stormed by angry students. Laon, France, fire destroyed a

chool building and cremated six of the Apvices from St. John's, N. F., were o the effect that three arctic parties were in course of formation there.

LATER NEWS. The senate was not in session on the

94th In the house, after preliminary business, the postal appropriation bill for the year ending June 30, 1895, was taken up in committee of the whole. The hill carries a total appropriation of \$87,470,600, or \$1,125,500 less than the estimates of the departapart for experimenting on free rural elivery. Other amendments were considered and adopted, after which the committee arose and the house adjourned.

which it was claimed would leave Massillon, O., 10,000 strong, took up its march, on the 25th, with about seventy-five stragglers in line. The column was accompanied by a bugler, four covered wagons, containing camping outfits, baled straw and several quarters of beef and a brass band. Before the end of the first day's march one-third of the "army" had deserted, owing to the prevalence of a sno storm.

THE statement of the associate banks of New York city for the week ended on the 24th showed the follow ing changes: Reserve, increase, \$1,774, 350; loans, increase, \$2,516,300; specie, increase, \$69,400; legal tenders, increase, \$4,499,000; circulation, decrease

A COMMITTEE of the followers of M. member of the French chamber of deputies, have arranged for holding two immense mass meetings on April

THE federal council of Switzerland has notified the governments of France, England and Chilli that Peru author izes the Swiss federal court to arbitrate the claims of the Peravian creditors. Numerous reports from the north ern and western sections of New Hampshire indicate that the maple sugar harvest will be a practical fail-

business manager of the Boston the-ater, died on the 24th. He was a veteran of the Mexican war.

Mrs. Ross and her 5-months-old infant perished in the flames of their

H. A. M. GLENEN, for many years

On the 24th the New York associated banks held \$79,077,650 in excess of the requirements of the 25-per-cent rule. Coketown, Pa., employing 350 men,

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

The following shows the condition of the national banks of Missouri, outside of St. Louis, Kansas City and St. Joseph, February 28, as reported to the comp

RESOURCES. Overdrafts. 88, 110, 61.
U. S. books to secure circulation 1, 45, 201.
U. S. books on hand 2, 25, 201.
Premiums on U. S. bonds. 91, 576, tooks, securifies, te tanking house furnity. e from national banks (not reserve 155,900 her to leave the county under pain of Due from state tunks and bankers.
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Checks and other cash items.
Exchanges for clearing-house.
Hills of other bational banks.
Fractional paper currency, nickets, Lawful money reserve in bank-Gold

Cold treasury certificates... Silver dollars... liver treasury certificates ... iver, fractional cein....... Total specie.
I. S. certificales of deposit for legal tender notes.
Five for cent. redemption fund with LIABILITIES.

apital stock paid in ... Furplus fund Undivided profits, less expenses and ess amount on trans-impount outstanding... bue other national lanks... bue to state banks and bank payable.... littles other than those above Average reserve hold, 32.82 per cent.

From Washington.
NEW POSTMASTRIS.
Levick Mill. Randolph county. E. C. Sharpe
vice G. G. Levick, removed.
Star Ridge. Polk county. S. S. Umphenour,
vice C. J. Ashworth. resigned.
Hancock, Pulaski county. Jabez Goodman,
vice W. T. Dickson, removed.
Orogono Jasper county. W. C. Routzong, vice
C. W. Gobbe, resigned. W. Goble, resigned.
Reark, Barry county, G. W. Reark, vice L.

Rock, Vernon county, Samuel V. Regan, post

The students of the Missouri state university, Columbia, held a mass-meeting the other day.

ing the other day.

It was to protest against the resignation of Dr. Paul Schweitzer from the chair of chemistry, which took place at the recent meeting of the board of creators. The students have been in open revolt against the action of President R. H. Jesse, who they claim is responsible for the resignation of Dr. Schweitzer. At the resignation of the corators a petition signed by 300 students requesting an investigation of the conduct of President Jesse was handed in. The petition, was laid aside by the curator, and no definite action was taken by them. A number of professors sanctioned the action of the students in sending in the petition, and agreed to support them in their cause. The faculty has split on the question in regard to President Jesse The Students discussed the resignation of Dr. Schweitzer, and resolutions expressing their regret at his retirement were passed. The alleged responsibility of President Jesse therefor was also discussed and condemned. A number of the professors was present and leged responsibility of President Jesse there-for was also discussed and condemned. A number of the professors were present and sanctioned the proceeding.

A Daylight Robbert

vas the scene of a bold daylight robbery the other day. rm gave chase and grappled with one of the nen, while an employe from the store went in earch of a policeman. Mr. Burnett, however, and to let go when he was knocked down and a ear Fifth. When taken to the station he gave the name of Pat O'Brien. His companion was still at large, with the stolen jewelry in his

A Popular Pastor Remembered. Rev. Dr. C. P. Marsden, who has been astor of the Union M. E. church in St. Louis for five years, held his last prayer meeting there the other evening.

meeting there the other evening.

The chapel was crowded with members of the church and their friends. When the services were about half over Hon. F. G. Nindringhams arose and addressed the pastor on behalf of the congregation. He regretted that the kindly relations that had existed between pastor and people for so many years must be severel. At the conclusion of Mr. Niedringhams remarks a little boy, bearing a tray containing forty-five 20 gold pieces, stepped forward and presented them to Dr. Marsden. Dr. Marsden was effected, and responded in a feeling manner. The entire and responded in a feeling manner. The entire sum was contributed by the congregation. Dr. Marsden will begin his duties as paster of the First M. E church, New Haven, Conn. April 2 On the evening before the sewing society presented Mrs. Marsden with a beautiful outlit

African M. E. Conference. The eighth annual conference of the African Methodist Episcopal church of central Missouri was held at Taylor's Chapel, Sedalia, Bishop Merrill, of Chicago, presiding. More than 100 minis-ters and a number of laymen were in

A St Louis woman borrowed \$15 from a local shylock a few years ago. She said she has paid \$315 in interest and charges and still owes the original amount, and shylock wants his "pound of flesh." There Was Shifting About.

were shifted around at the Lebanon conference. But ability still holds sway in the "big" churches. Takes a Big Jump Rev. C. P. Masden, of the Union M. 2. church, St. Louis, has been transferred to Connecticut, and will go to a

The Methodist ministers of St. Louis

Why He Shot Himself. Harry Madden, of Edinburg, Grundy ounty, shot himself because his fa ter. He will recover. From the Frying-Pan Into the Fire

church in New Haven.

A St. Louis female shoplifter has plunged herself into more trouble by trying to bribe the judge of the crim-A Supposed Case of Small-Por. A supposed case of small-pox has de-eloped on a form near Maryville. The place was quarantined before exposure

Bitten by Rabid Dogs. Courtney Kelso, aged 14, was bitten by a mad-dog at Rich Hill; also a son of Chas Ferguson, a farmer, was bit-

MISSOURI METHODISTS.

e St. Louis Conference at Leban n-Constitutional Ameriments Voted Upo -The List of Appointments. The St. Louis annual conferen the M. E. church held a five days' ses sion at Lebanon, Bishop Merrill presid-ing. The conference opened with the sacrament of the Lord's supper.

Among the important resolutions troduced were: Resolved. That the bishop presiding be respectfully requested not to transfer any preacher to this conference of impaired health or who is over 40 years of age. Adopted.

Remired. That no person shall be regarded as a beneficiary of the annulty fund unless he pays the acft of five dollars annually to said and Voted dowii.

Three proposed constitutional amend ents were voted upon. The first gifing laymen equal representation with ministerial delegates in the general conference, was defeated by a small majority. The second, to reduce the number of ministerial delegates to the general conference to a basis of one for not less than forty-five members or more than ninety, carried by a good majority. The third, to change the time of meeting of the general confernce from May 1 to the first Wednesday in May, was carried without oppo

THE APPOINTMENTS. The appointments are as follows:

The appointments are as follows:

St. Louis District—O. M. Stewart, presiding elder. Festus and De Soto, C. H. Gideon: St. Louis (Try-Bowman church, W. S. Courtney: Carondelet, E. P. Anderson; Dr. Fry memorial, Frank Lettie: Good Avenne, R. F. Poole, Harlem Place, to be supplied; Jennings church, Joseph Harris; Lindell Avenue, R. I. Flemmer, Maple Avenne, S. B. Campbell: Mount Olive, to be supplied: Niestrianhaus memorial, A. H. Millel, Pacific, F. f. James, Sperest arr, to be supplied: St. Luke's church, J. F. Coffington: Tower Grove, W. T. Scott, Trinity church, J. P. Mariatt; Union church, W. G. Williams, of New Haven, Conn.; chaplain of St. Louis Evangelical alliance, T. H. Haperty; editor of Central Christian Advocate, J. B. Young.

Kansas Chy District—F. B. Price, presiding elder. Afrain, M. Bell: Austin, W. F. Baher. Belton, J. P. Dew; Drevel, to be supplied: East Lynne, H. A. Daugherty; Holden, J. J. K. Lunteck; Holden circuit, J. W. Harwoot, Independence, J. M. Archer, Kansas City, Arlington, L. C. Sappenfield: Dundee, O. P. Welght, Genni Avenue, G. H. Mitchell; Howard Michaells, J. Z. Armstrong: Liberty Street and city missions, B. P. White; Osidey and Kensington, G. W. Grabe; Summit Street, R. Z. Smith; Twenty-ninth Street, H. Sandy; Lee's Semmit, Samuel Warren; Ock Grove, H. A. Bald Itt; Plenskin Hill, Frank Esley.

Sedalla District—William Jones, presiding attl litt: Pleasant Hill, Frank Exter Babi Htt. Picasent Hill. Frank Edley.
Sedalla District. William Joines, presiding
chief. Applicina City, G. A. Glens: Astlville,
to be supplied: Clinton, S. J. Heaton; Deep
water, G. J. Hunt: Dresden, to be supplied: Ef
Dorado Springs, J. B. Daulel; Green Ridge,
Charles Birms: Huntlingdale, J. H. Adams;
Knolmester, J. W. Kelley; Lew s. to be supplied; Lincoln and Warsaw, L. E. Gower,
Math. Bond, W. M. Grenner, Warshol G. W. ola, B. F. Crissman: Osecola circuit, to be dalia, Pirst church, A. R. Crouce: Mont omery Street, All cet Jump, Smithton, W. P. ". Hamel; Warrens ur_ circuit, to be sup-died; Windsor, J. S. Perter.

piled; Cari Junction, F. P. Reno: Carterville W. T. Wright; Carthage, W. P. Slutz: Car-B. Brewington: Nashville, to be supplied. Springfield District-W. J. Simmons, pres

Burnett's jewelry store in St. Joseph A. M. Hammond, Ava. to be supplied: Billings. to be supplied: Bolivar, G. H. Cooper; Cass-ville, Richard Anderson; Dadeville, to be supplied: Pairplay. Clark Baher: Gainesville, to

he supplied: Urbana, C. I. Rose: Vichy Springs, O. L. Wait: Wheatland and Hermitage, C. D. Foy.

Farmington District—D. W. Crow, presiding clder. Advance, W. D. Poer. Bismarch, A. Pigron: Bisometeld, J. H. Poer. Bonne Territ, John Maynami, Cape Girardean, to be supplied: Doe Run, W. R. McCqrmick: Farmington, Geo. W. Kin; Fredericktown, J. H. Doemina, Fruitland, Los Howard: Graniteville, to be supplied: Ironton, J. H. Hurley: Lutesville, to be supplied: Ironton, J. H. Hurley: Lutesville, to be supplied: Marquand, W. H. Yount: Mount Carmel, R. H. Shite: Mountain View, J. E. Gleadinning: Oilen, Geo. A. Pease: Palmer, B. Kilterman: Perrytille, to be supplied: Pathyer, R. W. Para; West Plains, W. T. Fulcher: Willow Springs, H. F. January; Winona, G. W. Burch
President of the George R. Smith college, Sedalia, Mo. P. A. Cool. Winona, G. W. Burch.
President of the George R. Smith college,
Sedalla, Mo. P. A. Cool.
Professor of the Marionville Collegiate institute, C. E. Heaton.
Missionary to Chima, A. C. Wright.

Professor in Claverac college, New York, J S. Van Petten.

Conference Gleanings

Bishop Bowman addressed a children's meeting. The Children's Aid Society of Mis souri, organized in 1892, has found homes for 131 orphans. Visiting members filled the pulpits of

olored churches of Lebanon on the Sunday during the conference. The bishop and his cobinet had a per plexing time over the appointments, on ecount of the many changes neces A committee was appointed whose

duty it is to visit different schools of the M. E. church during the ensuing The ministers of the conference many of them accompanied by their wives, enjoyed the hospitality of the Gasconade hotel, at a reception. The immense hotel was crowded and it was

a pleasant gathering. The pastors of the Farmington district presented their retiring presid-ing elder, O. M. Martin, with a handsome gold-headed cane. Mr. Martin was formerly presiding elder of the St. Louis district, where he is highly es-

The following transfers from the conference were announced: W. T. Piles to South Kansas conference, W T. Lewis to Arkansas conference, Jasper Winbigler and F. G. Blakemore to Nebraska conference, J. L. Boyd to Des Moines (Ia.) conference, and Dr. though the support, which is from continuous to the support which is from continuous to the support of the support o Des Moines (Ia.) conference, and Dr. though the support, which is from con-Masden to the New York East confer-tributions, is just now very meager.

MISSOURI CULLINGS.

William S Martin has been appointe ostmaster of El Dorado f. Grodman succeeds W. T. Dicksons postmaster of Hansock.

Several dwelling houses were bu darized in La Plata the other night A negro woman is said to have bee whipped by white caps near Fayette. W. J. Peter, aged 29, died at his fa-ther's home in Marshall of heart dis-

Mrs. John Laughlin, wife of a farm er near Marshall, fell dead at the Phillip P. Ahern has been appointed eceiver for the Walsh Vinegar Co. of

Rev. W. W. Boyd has accepted the pastorate of the Second Baptist church There were 100 conversions during

the revival at the Park Meshodist J. G. Newbill has been no the president to be register of the land office at Springfield.

The Hannibal saw-mill has started up and given work to 200 men who had een idle all winter. Mathew Bourke, a Kansas City retail greeer, has assigned to John A. Boarke for the benefit of creditors.

Henry Weaver, a Well-known west-era hotel man, has been selected to manage the new Planters' house, St. The faculty of the Missouri universi-

ty declare officially that there is no trouble or disaffection toward Presi-William Heath, a farmer near Montcomery City, fell with an apoplectic

and never rallied, dying the next day. George D. Van Houltest, a veteran river pilot, died at his residence in Sk. Louis, recently, of pneumonia. He was 76 years of age.

Frank Clearly, who forged an order for a suit of clothes at Dester, has been convicted and given two years in the penitentiary. Joseph Myrick, who killed Thomas Edwards near Dexter, pleaded guilty to manslaughter and was given a sen-

tence of seven years. The Citizens' bank, capital stock \$25, 000, has been organized at Shelbyville by John J. Hewitt, W. W. Mitchell, A. M. Priest and others.

deputy of the Camden county clerk, who cloped with Eliza Lindsey, was arrested at Monette. The Pettis county court has pu

S. H. George, the married son and

Sedalia, and will convert it into a home for the poor of Pettis county. The George R. Smith college at Se dalia has received a handsome United States flag from the Sumner Avenue Methodist Sunday-school of Brooklyn. Louisa Helmer, a typewriter, aged 6, is missing from her home, 3423 Hilinois avenue, St. Louis. She -had been dejected over failure to obtain employ

J. H. Cordell, charged with unlaw fully receiving deposits at the late Cordell-Dunicka bank, of Marshal, after he knew the bank had failed, was equitted.

Wyatt Park, near St. Joseph, was perhaps fatally burned by an explosion or She was cleaning some elothing and took the garment near

ection of delegates to the Kausas City convention. Creditors in Missouri, Illinois, New York, Ohio, Michigan and Pennsylva-Kelk Bros', carriage manufacturing firm at Sedalia.

Annie, the 3-year-old daughter of August Schonhoff, of Cape Girardeau, was accidentally shot in the head by a young son of Thomas Howell. The bullet lodged in the child's brain. About 200 representatives of dem It was decided not to change the date

of the state convention, called to meet in Kansas City, May 15. Near Fayette whitecaps pinned a card to the door of W. R. Sartain, no tifying him to leave the country, or both he and family would be exter minated, intimating that poison would be used to carry out the threat.

William Mathews, of Edgar Springs Phelps county, was bitten by a dog were also bitten. He now fears that some of the hogs have shown symptoms The Kansas City Homeopath Medical college dissension, which to the state board of health, was re-

A peculiar accident occurred to a freight train near Marshfield. A stock train, leaving the Springfield-Frisco yards at 40:30 a. m. for St. Louis, was speeding along 3 miles cast of Marsh field, when a bar from a drive-wheel on the engine came loose. It ran on end deep in the ground and the other in through the engine cab, striking Head Brakeman Bradley on the thiel It tore nearly all the flesh off his leg

in the matter, and so sent it back to the

nd badly fractured the bone. Constables Fleming and Barthick, of amonte, with a warrant for the acrest of a negro, Jerry Hutchinson, Ili ing 4 miles north of town, for the ill-treatment of his children, rode out to his home where they met Hutchinson armed with a Winchester. He resisted errest, and the constables, knowing him to be a desperate character, returned to town and wired for Sheriff ought Hutchinson in. He gave bond. At the town of Wellington, Lafayette county, burglars broke into the store of Daubert & Corse, and secured \$200,

The Salvation Army of Kansas City is bankrupt, and in consequence of this fact the captain and Licutenant have drawn a combined salary of but \$11.59 drawn a combined salary of but \$11.59 drawn a combined salary of but \$12.59 drawn a combined salary of but \$12.59 drawn a combined salary of but \$12.59 drawn as and the March returns would indicate a still further reduction n the stipend. It was stated that a large percentage of the receipts were usually sent to the district office at Omaha, to New York and the Booth

some valuable papers and some mis-cellaneous goods.

ON TO WASHINGTON.

The Army of the Commonweal Takes Up Its March—The Movement a Colonial Finite—A Ridiculously Small Band of Tramps with Thousands of Amused

Sarrow, O., March 36, -Coxey's army of the Commonweal moved out of Mas-sillon yesterdity on schedule time. There were perhaps seventy five strag-glers in line at the start and twentyfire less when Canton, eight miles away, was reached. Carl Browns-chief marshal, headed the procession. He was mounted on a white horse and He was mounted on a white horse and was followed by fail a dozen sides, all mounted on horses belonging to Coxey, who rode in a carriage drawn by a pair of spirited steeds

by a pair of spirited steeds.

The procession consisted of the marshals, Coney, his wife and sister, a bugier, four covered wagons, containing camping outfits, baled straw and several quarters of bust; a brass band that played all kinds of music at once, that played all kinds of music at once, and the soldiers of the commonweal on foot. They marched single file and two abreast as pleased their faney. With very few exceptions they were hard-looking lot of citizens. This, they claimed, was not their fault, but the fault of our system of government.

The weather was pleasant when the start was made, but the procession was soon overtaken by a severe snow form. This had a depressing tend-ency alid a number of desertions were reported before Red Urban, the first stop, was reached. After a brief stap at Red Urban the army resumed its onward march and reached Canton shortly after 4 o'clock where Camp Lexington was pitched.

On the march from Massillon to Canton the Commonweal army was followed by a mob of nearly 1,000 people in carriages, on horseback and afoot. They made the welkin ring with their cheers and kept Coxe; constantly bow-ing and lifting his hat. On reaching Canton the army was greeted by fully 10,000 people who were crowded on sidewalks and in windows and bal-conies along Tuscarawas street. Everyone regarded the affair as a luge joke and good humor prevailed on all

Camp Lexington was pitched on a vacant lot near the workhouse, shortly after 4 o'clock, and the tramps consti tuting the army of the Con at once began building bonfires, scat-tering straw upon the ground and making other preparations to keep comfortable during the night. The army had to start on its march without the Goddess of Peace, as no maiden could be found to assume that

role. Instead of the goddess, a burly negro has been enlisted to carry the banner, thus giving the African race representation in the moreinent.

One-group of five soldiers deserted he a body before Canton was reached. Their marshal thought the celestial powers were not expended. powers were not exercising proper disretion in sending a snowst the advancing hosts, and advised his men to break for a passing freight

heard from since. It was feared by some of Coxey's lieutenants that there would be more descritions before morn ng unless the weather moderated, Coxey's life insurance policy has been revoked, the officials of the company fearing he may meet with a vio-lent end before finishing the present

Coxey is enthusiastic and claims the The democrats of Macon county will hold a meeting of township committees Friday, April 6, to arrange for the selarations. Canton and Massillon were both crowded yesterday with people who had come in from surrounding towns and cities to witness the sight

COXEY - A RUINED MAN Unless He Deserts the Army of Tramps and Hastens Home. New York, March 26.-A special to a

morning paper from Massillon, O., signed by Hugh O'Donnell, the labor "Unless Coxey can manlender, says: age to raise \$4,000 by next Wednesday owes that amount on the celebrated Alcoyte, and the former owner of the horse, Col. James E. Pepper, the wellknown whisky man and stock raiser of Kentucky, holds a mortgage on the horse and other property of Coxey to protect that amount. Coxey purchased the stallion for \$40,000 and gave notes for that amount. He paid off \$16,000, and owes \$24,000. The former owner, alarmed by the reports of Coxey's inside movement, sent his son here this week to take a survey of the situation. The result is that attorneys were instructed to pro-ceed against Coxey yesterday; but after a long conference it was agreed to give the president of the Good Roads asso-ciation until Wednesday to settle.

This is very likely but the begins of the end. Coxey's entire proper heavily mortgaged and this move of ferred back to Dr. J. W. Cartlich, the board deciding it had no juristiction to start up his other creditors and if they come in force, Coxey is done for, as his first wife has predicted, and as his second wife feared he would be. Provisious for the Commonweal Army. ALLIANCE, O., March 25.-Yesterday

afternoon the chairman of the com- next

mittee who has charge of the arrange-ments here received a letter from Gen. 10 . 17 Coxey requesting him to buy provings & and send the bill to him. His fears are groundless, however, as concerns this place, as several carloads of food are now here waiting his coming. They Are Not All Tramps. , Pittsbungs, Pa., March 25.—Alderman McNierny, Maj. Thomas Curley, of the Keystone Bridge Ca.; John Rod-gers and Capt. Conley, all well-to-do citizens of the Eighteenth ward, Pittsburgh, are actively engaged and desperately in earnest in organizing a

eavalry troop to join Coxey's army of peace on its march to Washington. At noon yesterday the names of seventyfive volunteers were on the list. Alderman McNierney, who is at the head of the organization, says that by Wednesday he will have at least 200 members in his troop. . The Cuar Did It.

Germany, the czar overraled pe torily the prejudices of his advisers.
He ordered a cessation of the squabet 24bling over the rye duty, which Dr. 45Witte demanded, and Count Kalnoky witte demanded, and Count Kalnoky refused to grant, and thus removed the last obstacle in the way of an agreement. But for the czar's determination to have peace with both, his powerful neighbors, the negotiatic as would have failed.

Drags, Patent Medicines,